

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, St. Lucie County, Florida****Trend of Fatalities, 2001-2005**

		2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	58	48	41	47	51
	Alcohol-Related	18	16	13	5	16
	Single Vehicle	34	22	20	29	31
	Non-Junction	44	32	31	43	41
	Intersection	8	11	8	3	7
	Intersection-Related	4	4	1	1	1
	Speeding Involved	10	11	5	5	2
	Pedestrians	6	6	3	4	11
	Pedalcyclists	3	1	1	2	2
	Large Truck Involved	5	10	4	9	5
	Roadway Departure	34	27	29	32	23
	Passenger Car Occupants	26	23	18	13	13
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	17	11	17	23	15
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	2	0	1	2	4
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	45	34	36	38	32
	Motorcycle Riders	4	7	1	3	6

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)
By Restraint Use, 2005

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2005	28	15	12	1

Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)
By Helmet Use, 2005

Fatalities	Total	Helmeted	Unhelmeted	Unknown
2005	6	1	5	0

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2005

	2005			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
Total Fatalities	51	20	21.14	40
Alcohol-Related	16	27	6.63	55
Single Vehicle	31	17	12.85	35
Non-Junction	41	17	16.99	35
Intersection	7	30	2.90	51
Intersection-Related	1	35	0.41	35
Speeding Involved	2	37	0.83	38
Pedestrians	11	15	4.56	11
Pedalcyclists	2	21	0.83	22
Large Truck Involved	5	28	2.07	44
Roadway Departure	23	21	9.53	44
Passenger Car Occupants	13	27	5.39	56
Light Truck/Van Occupants	15	21	6.22	44
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	4	10	1.66	19
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	32	21	13.26	48
Motorcycle Riders	6	20	2.49	32

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.